



August 2006 Labor Report September 20, 2006

Unemployment in Kansas and MSAs Place of Residence Data

Kansas	<u>August' 06</u>	<u>July' 06</u>	<u>August '05</u>
Civilian Labor Force	1,477,996	1,503,889	1,475,504
Employment	1,406,492	1,428,253	1,401,576
Unemployment	71,504	75,636	73,928
Unemployment Rate	4.8	5.0	5.0
Lawrence MSA <i>(Douglas County)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	61,626	62,364	61,669
Employment	59,149	59,637	59,218
Unemployment	2,477	2,727	2,451
Unemployment Rate	4.0	4.4	4.0
Topeka MSA <i>(Jackson, Jefferson, Osage, Shawnee and Wabaunsee Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	122,749	125,181	123,852
Employment	116,334	118,400	117,252
Unemployment	6,415	6,781	6,600
Unemployment Rate	5.2	5.4	5.3
Wichita MSA <i>(Butler, Harvey, Sedgwick and Sumner Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	310,025	314,920	307,858
Employment	294,066	298,344	289,953
Unemployment	15,959	16,576	17,905
Unemployment Rate	5.1	5.3	5.8
Kansas City Area <i>(Franklin, Johnson, Leavenworth, Linn, Miami and Wyandotte Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	437,954	443,657	435,380
Employment	414,862	419,987	412,543
Unemployment	23,092	23,670	22,837
Unemployment Rate	5.3	5.3	5.2